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Continuation of 3. NOTE: Amended claim 1 includes a new limitation of "mesh grid is a plate", which changes the scope of the claims, thus requires further search and considerations.

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